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In re Application of:

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) Group Art Unit: 1642
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Application Number: 08/973,303

) Examiner: K.A. Canella
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Filed: November 28, 1997

For: PROTEIN WITH DIFFERENTIATION-INDUCING ACTIVITY FOR FRIEND'S
ERYTHROLEUKEMIA CELL LINES

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND
NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests an additional two-months extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on March 25, 2002, in the above-captioned application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including September 25, 2002. A check in the amount of **\$565.00** is attached to cover the second and third month extension of time fee and Notice of Appeal fee for a small entity. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

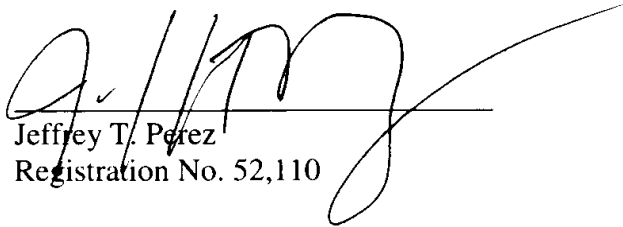
Applicant hereby **appeals** to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner rejecting claims 36-39, 41, 42, 45-47, 62, 66, 67 and 69-72 in the above-captioned application.

The attached check includes the \$160.00 Notice of Appeal fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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